

WIFE JUMPED IN CAB, AND, DURING FIGHT, CUT HUSBAND'S THROAT.

Mrs. Ramsey Says She Sought
Revenge Because He
Denied Her.



MRS. ANNA RAMSEY.
Who stabbed her husband in a cab.

A woman giving her name as Mrs. Anna Ramsey, was arrested in the Harlem police court today charged with felonious assault on a man who gave his name as Frank Ramsey and claimed to be her husband.

Ramsey, his neck swathed in bandages, was arraigned with her, charged with disorderly conduct.

John Rowley, a cabman, was the principal witness against them. It was in his vehicle in West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street last night that Mrs. Ramsey tried to carve up her husband with a pocket knife.

Mrs. Ramsey told Magistrate Zeller that her husband had not been home for three weeks and had contributed only \$7 to her support in that time.

"When I met him last night," she said, "I asked him what he intended doing. Then before his friends, he declared that I was not his wife and that we never had been married. I lost control of myself and have no recollection of what followed. But I'm glad I did not kill him."

HUSBAND DISCHARGED.

Ramsey admitted to the Magistrate that he was the woman's husband and that they had been married sixteen years.

The Magistrate dismissed the complaints, telling Ramsey he ought to be ashamed of himself and warning him against abandoning the woman.

Cabman Rowley said that the woman had engaged his vehicle early in the evening and, as ordered, he drove slowly near the curbstone until they met Ramsey walking with two men. At her invitation Ramsey joined her and orders were given for the cab to drive on.

A moment later the cab began to rock like a ship in a gale, while a man's yells for help came forth, mingled with a woman's shriek: "I'll show you! You brute! And me a poor, defenseless woman!"

Rowley whipped up and drove to the West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street police station. Capt. Maertens and Policemen Zimmerman opened the door.

SHE WIELDED A KNIFE.

Ramsey was found crouching in one corner of the cab, her hands raised appealingly, while above him stood the woman striking viciously at him with a pocket knife. Blood was flowing from a cut on his neck, and his coat had almost been cut to ribbons. Her clothing, too, was partly torn off.

Mrs. Ramsey's first words to the police were: "Go away, we can settle this thing ourselves."

Before the sergeant she appeared indignant at interference with her family affairs. Then she calmed down enough to give a name and say that her husband was a fish dealer and their home is at 331 West One Hundred and Thirty-first street.

"What right have you to interfere between husband and wife," she demanded of Capt. Maertens. "He has refused to support me, has deserted me, and has eluded the police who had a warrant for his arrest. I had it sworn out, charging him with abandonment. His name is Frank Ramsey. I'm Annie Ramsey."

Mrs. Ramsey said she was thirty-six years old and her husband thirty-five. She said that when she learned the police could not find her husband she set out to hunt him.

HUSBAND FAINTED.

Ramsey fainted at the police station. He was taken to the J. Hood Wright Hospital, where it was found that he had received one serious stab in the left side of his neck which missed the jugular vein by a half inch. There were minor cuts on his arms and breast. His



FRANK RAMSEY.

Wounds were dressed and he was taken back to the police station.

At 561 West One Hundred and Thirty-second street today it was said that no family of the name of Ramsey lives there.

"DICK" BELL IS DEAD.

The Young Newspaper Writer Succumbs to Wounds Inflicted by the Negro John Cain.

Richard Leonard Bell, a well-known newspaper writer, died this morning at the New York Hospital from stab-wounds received in front of the Bijou Theatre Saturday night.

Bell was standing with a friend, when John Cain, a negro porter in the Delevan Hotel, at Fortieth street and Broadway, stepped on his foot. A quarrel ensued.

The negro drew his knife, stabbing Bell seven times in the side. Cain is now in jail.

Bell was thirty years old, and during the past ten years had been employed as a sporting writer on several New York newspapers.

"GROWN-UPS"

Join with the Children.

"The doctors said to my husband, 'You must stop both coffee and tea, as your nerves and kidneys are in a very bad state. You can use Postum Food Coffee, for there is nothing healthier as a drink.'"

"I bought a package of Postum, made it according to directions, and it was splendid. Husband quickly got well and cannot say enough in praise of Postum. We have used neither tea nor coffee since. One day a short time ago a friend took dinner with me and asked for a second cup of that delicious coffee." She was surprised to hear it was Postum, as she had tried Postum before and it was weak and tasteless, but when she found out that it must be boiled quite a long time in order to bring out the food value and the taste, she adopted it and is now using it entirely. Her children as well as the 'grown-ups' are delighted with it.

"I was formerly troubled with kidney complaint myself, but that has all disappeared since I have been using Postum and quit coffee. Please do not make my name public."

The name of this lady can be given by the Postum Cereal Co., Ltd., Battle Creek, Mich.

Siegel-Cooper Company.

The Daily Story of the Big Store.

FRIDAY, JUNE 29, 1900.

Sixth Avenue, 18th and 19th Streets.

A Sale of 26,000 Pairs of Shoes Will Begin Here To-Morrow.

A sale of monumental proportions, and of supreme importance, embracing, as it does, the cream and flower of shoeing, at prices that are simply unheard-of in the annals of trade.

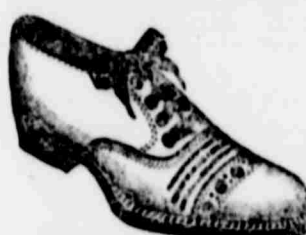
The circumstances that are responsible for the event are so peculiar a short synopsis may interest the public. Leather has advanced steadily for well-nigh a year, gradually forcing up the price of the finished shoes, until now the increase necessitated amounts to fully 33 per cent.

All the large jobbers in the shoe-making districts of New England have, therefore, combined and resolved to force the price of leather down to its former level by refusing to place any orders whatever for shoes until the prices do go down.

This may or may not be a wise course, but it had the effect of practically compelling several of the largest shoe factories of America to close down for lack of orders.

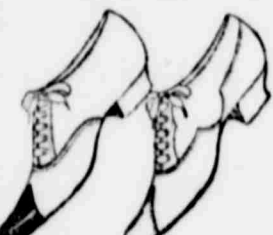
Our shoe buyer took a trip through all these shoe districts and succeeded in purchasing at HIS OWN PRICES THE ENORMOUS LOT OF 26,000 PAIRS OF SHOES from makers who were willing to sacrifice in order to realize cash on unsold stocks of leather and to keep from shutting out thousands of hands.

The shoes are here now—the sale begins to-morrow—the values are simply phenomenal—will you take advantage of such opportunities? Of course you will. Who, endowed with common sense, and the proper appreciation of the value of money, would deliberately allow bargains like these to slip away?



LOT 1. Men's Tan Calf English Toe Oxford, superior stylish foot-wear, made to sell at \$2.50 pair; in this sale at **1.45**

LOT 7. Misses' Tan Kid Lace Shoes, made with spring heels, a stylish and well made shoe that you won't equal anywhere for less than \$2.00; in this sale at **1.25**



LOT 2. Men's Tan and Black Calf Lace Shoes, in all sizes, the equal of which you cannot buy any-where for less than \$2.50 to \$3.00; in this sale at **1.45**

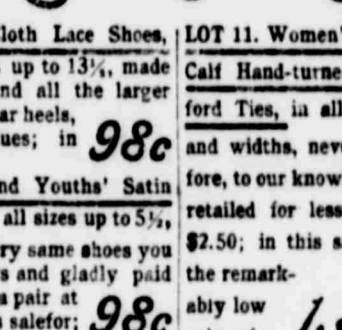
all sizes, a bona fide and excellent \$2.00 quality; in this sale at **95c**

LOT 3. Men's Willow Calf and Kid Lace Shoes, London, English and plain toes, all Goodyear welts, in tan as well as black, in all sizes and widths, shoes that are worth \$3.50 and \$4.00 a pair; in this sale at **1.90**



LOT 9. Women's Tan Kid Lace and Black Kid Lace and Button Shoes, in narrow and wide toe styles, with single or double soles, the famous Radcliffe \$3.50 shoes; in this sale at **1.95**

LOT 4. Men's Tan Velour Calf (the finest calf known), Hand-sewed Lace Shoes, in London and Touraine toes, finished in the newest and most fashionable lemon color, regular \$5 shoe; in this sale at **2.35**



LOT 10. Women's Soft Kid Hand-turned Low Shoes, in tan and black, in several styles of Oxfords as well as 2-Button and Southern Ties, all of them unquestioned \$2.00 values; in this sale at **95c**

LOT 5. Boys' and Youths' Covert Cloth Lace Shoes, with substantial leather soles, all sizes up to 13½, made with spring heels and all the larger sizes made with regular heels, \$1.50 to \$2.00 values; in this sale at **98c**

LOT 6. Boys' and Youths' Satin Calf Lace Shoes, all sizes up to 5½, the very same shoes you always and gladly paid \$1.50 a pair at in this sale; **98c**

LOT 11. Women's Tan Calf Hand-turned Oxford Ties, in all sizes and widths, never before, to our knowledge, retailed for less than \$2.50; in this sale at the remarkably low **1.39** price of

Shoe sales will come and shoe sales will go, but it will be a long time before another shoe sale like this will come again. We have told our story—now it's your turn to act.

Price Reductions Extraordinary in

Men's & Boys' Superior Summer Clothing

We find on our counters many hundreds of choice garments which for some reason or other have sold faster than other lines and of which, therefore, we have but very few of any one style left.

It's too late in season to make up goods to fill in sizes, and it's too slow and troublesome to try to sell them divided into dozens of small lots as they are now.

We will therefore take all these many hundreds of small lots and divide them

Into Six Great Bargain Lots, Irrespective of Price or Value,

offering in each of the six new assortments a full choice of sizes, so that everybody may be fitted, and at the same time such remarkable values that the selling out of the entire six new lots within a very few days becomes practically a foregone conclusion.

We have offered great clothing bargains before—we hope to offer you many more in future—but never before did we submit to your consideration clothing values that could beat these:

Men's Clothing.

MEN'S HIGH GRADE SUMMER SUITS—Fine Cassimeres, chevrons, tweeds, worsteds, French flannels and English serges, including many broken lots, but a very choice collection in its entirety; formerly priced at \$12.50, \$14.75, \$17.50 and \$19.50; an unrestricted choice Saturday for but **8.00**

MEN'S CHOICE BUSINESS AND VACATION SUITS—Odd lots of some of the season's most desirable garments, strictly woolen materials, properly lined and tailored, stylish outfits for summer wear, that sold when sizes and lots were complete at \$7.50, \$8.50 and \$10 each; an unrestricted choice to-morrow at **5.00**

MEN'S FINE SUMMER SERGE COATS, made of standard fast Indigo all-worsted English serge, in navy and black, in the proper up-to-date cut, stitched throughout with silk; the \$5 quality of the exclusive dealer; on sale here to-morrow at **3.00**

Boys' Clothing.

BOYS' 2 AND 3 GARMENT, VESTEE BLOUSE AND NORFOLK SUITS, made of the highest grades of domestic and imported fabrics, with the best of trimmings; formerly priced at \$4.50, \$5.00 and \$6.00; a choice to-morrow at **2.75**

BOYS' STRICTLY ALL WOOLEN 2-GARMENT SUITS, of the choicest Summer materials, with reinforced seats and knees, suitable for boys between 6 and 15 years of age; formerly sold at \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$4.00; an unrestricted choice for Saturday, **1.75**

BOYS' FINE WASHABLE SUITS, made of the finest imported fast colored woven Galatea stripes and French outing cloths, perfectly designed and well made, suits that would cost \$2, \$2.50 and \$3 at the exclusive outfitters; an unrestricted choice to-morrow for **1.00**

Our Big Straw Hat Sale will come to a close Saturday, as the big wholesale stock which we recently purchased and placed on sale will all be sold out by the close of the day. This doesn't mean that we won't sell any more straw hats this season, of course, but it means that we won't be able to offer another fine stock like this at such low prices. If you need a straw hat, buy it Saturday, and here, as it is doubtful if you will again get such an opportunity. 3 lots—3 unequalled prices:

LOT 1. Men's rough and the best JAPANESE and ENGLISH STRAW HATS, made of the finest materials, in all sorts of new and pretty shapes, regularly sold for \$1.25 to \$1.50; to-morrow at the very low price of **79c**

LOT 2. MEN'S STRAW HATS of the Eastern brand, also Jumbo rough braids, in all sorts of new and pretty shapes, regularly sold for \$1.25 to \$1.50; to-morrow at the very low price of **59c**

LOT 3. MEN'S STRAW HATS OF ALL sorts of fine and rough straws in desirable small and large shapes, the regular 75c and \$1.00 grades of other hat stores, Saturday, **39c**

The Big Store is the Coolest Store in Town,

having all the natural advantages of ventilation, together with an enormous ice plant that pumps millions of cubic feet of artificially cooled air into the store every day.

When you're out shopping, "Just note the difference."

Open All Day To-Morrow,

Saturday, June 30,

but during July & August

the store will close on

Saturdays at noon.

Seashore Delivery

again in operation for the season of 1900. Daily deliveries to all the prominent resorts from Atlantic Highlands to Ocean Grove and Cedarhurst to Rockaway Park, L. I.

Travellers' Necessities.

The 4th of July, the vacation season and the Paris Exposition will cause thousands of people to leave town for a longer or a shorter period. Many of them won't need a dress suit case, a hand bag or any of the goods in the following list of special offerings, but there are many more who will, and to such the high quality and low prices of these offerings will prove irresistibly attractive:

DRESS-SUIT CASES of imitation alligator leather, with covered corners of real alligator leather, muslin lined, with plated lock and catches; the 24-inch size, at **98c**

DRESS-SUIT CASES of sheepskin, extra heavy stock, russet color, muslin lined, with inside straps and brass-plated locks and catches; the 24-inch size, at **2.60**

DRESS-SUIT CASES of heavy cowhide leather, russet color, lined with heavy leather-covered corners, heavy straps, brass plated locks and catches; the 24-inch size, at **4.50**

CLUB BAGS of cowhide, muslin lined, in black, olive or russet, full cut, 3 sizes and prices, as follows: 16-inch, **1.65**

18-inch, **1.95**

20-inch, **2.20**

HAND BAGS of real alligator, with handles of real alligator, nickel lock and catches, a choice of 3 sizes to-morrow for **1.45**

HAND BAGS of real hornback alligator, deep cut, leather lined, a choice of the 13 and 14 inch sizes, **3.75**

HORNBACK ALLIGATOR BAGS, extra deep cut and of a fine quality, leather lined, with brass lock and catches and Vienna handles; the 15-inch size, **7.50**

16-inch size, **8.00**

FINE COWHIDE SHAWL STRAPS, 3 ft. long, each, **25c**

HEAVY SHAWL STRAPS, at each, 45c, and **65c**

LEATHER-COVERED FLASKS, with nickel tops and cups, worth 75c, at **39c**

FIGURIN-COVERED FLASKS, with nickel tops and cups, at each, **1.20**

FLASKS COVERED WITH REAL ALLIGATOR, at each, **1.75**

ROLL-UP CASES, waterproof lined, for holding brushes, combs, razors, sponges and other requisites, at from **50c to 3.50**

COLLAPSIBLE DRINKING CUPS, with alligator case, at each, **39c**

LEATHER MEDICINE CASES, holding 8 bottles, with nickel tops, at **55c**

LEATHER MEDICINE CASES, of a larger size, with larger bottles, at **69c**

We also carry in stock a fine line of MEDICINE CASES of all sizes, makes and qualities, the prices on which are very reasonable as compared with those offered elsewhere.

Bathing Suits. For the sake of appearance, health and pocketbook every man or woman who bathes outdoors should own a bathing suit. The real good sorts cost but a moderate sum if bought here, as these offerings for to-morrow will show:

Women's Bathing Suits. WOMEN'S BATHING SUITS, of Jersey cloth, with white trimming, at **1.50**

WOMEN'S BATHING SUITS, of brilliantine, neatly trimmed with white braid, at **1.95**

WOMEN'S BATHING SUITS, of brilliantine, in black and navy, with skirt and waist elaborately trimmed with white braid, an excellent quality at **3.95**

WOMEN'S BATHING SUITS, a great variety of the best grades, in fancy styles, at prices ranging up to **9.95**

Men's Bathing Suits. MEN'S 1-PIECE BATHING SUITS, of striped cotton, very durable and well worth \$1.50, at **85c**

MEN'S BATHING SUITS, of worsted, with striped bottom cuffs and pants, well made and easily worth \$3.50, here to-morrow at **2.25**

Men's and Boys' Negligee Shirts

The negligee shirt is the correct Summer shirt for city or country wear, and if you haven't a good supply of them get what you need while these goods and prices are available:

MEN'S PERCALE NEGLIGEE SHIRTS, 200 dozen, cut full and well made, with separate cuffs, all sizes, worth fully 65c, apiece; here to-morrow at **39c**

MEN'S MADRAS AND PERCALE NEGLIGEE SHIRTS, 150 dozen, made with yoke, gathered back and felled seams, detachable cuffs, worth 75c, and \$1.00 each, all sizes; here to-morrow at **49c**

MEN'S EXTRA FINE MADRAS NEGLIGEE SHIRTS, 150 dozen, well made and finished throughout and fitted with pearl buttons, all sizes, in a fine assortment of choice patterns, fully worth \$1.00 apiece, on sale to-morrow at **69c**

BOYS' NEGLIGEE SHIRTS, in a great variety of fabrics and patterns, formerly sold at 50c, apiece, ages 5 to 17; reduced for to-morrow to **35c**

MEN'S BALBRIGGAN SHIRTS AND DRAWERS—300 dozen, a broken assortment made up from our own stock of good balbriggan underwear, every garment well made and nicely finished, all sizes in some lot or other, worth 50c, a garment easily, a choice to-morrow, to close, at **25c**

MEN'S BALBRIGGAN SHIRTS AND DRAWERS—15 cases; drawers have double seats, pearl buttons and sixteen waistbands, all sizes, well worth 50c, a garment, a choice to-morrow for **35c**

MEN'S GENUINE FRENCH BALBRIGGAN SHIRTS AND DRAWERS, with heavy pearl buttons, extension strap and double cuffs on drawers, sizes 34 to 44, unquestionably worth 75c, apiece, here to-morrow "special" at **49c**

Ladies' Fine White Shirt Waists

The coolest and most becoming waist for mid-summer wear is the white waist made of proper materials—made up tastefully and cut to fit. As our special offerings of white waists for to-morrow are all of a very high grade, and as the prices quoted are very low they are sure to find favor in the eyes of all good dressers.

WHITE PERSIAN LAWN WAISTS, of the finest quality, with exquisite needlework, tucking and hemstitching, at **1.90**

WHITE PERSIAN LAWN WAISTS, with openwork embroidery front, cuffs, sleeves and tucked back, at **2.75**

WHITE WAISTS, with front of all-over lace and outfit ribbon, back and sleeves of Persian lawn, very dressy, specially priced at **2.75**

WHITE WAISTS, of all-over lace, with dressy stock collar and dress sleeves, in very select styles, mostly insertion effects, specially priced at **3.90**

WHITE WAISTS, of the finest all-over Valenciennes lace effects, tucked stock collar with Van Dyke lace points, dress sleeves with flanges to correspond with collar, specially priced at **4.25**

The Bicyclist, the Fisherman and the Photographer

who are preparing to spend the Fourth of July out of town or who are about to take their Summer outing, will need some or all of these goods to complete their outfit, and the low prices quoted for same will save them money on every article. Investigate and be convinced.



For the Bicyclist.

The "FOUNTAIN" BICYCLE, a high-grade wheel, unequalled for strength, durability and finish; fully guaranteed for the entire season of 1900; a choice of men's 20, 22 and 24 inch, and ladies' 23 inch, frames, for but **19.75**

20TH CENTURY OIL LAMP, 1900 model, better made, **1.25**

BALDWIN GAS LAMP—returnable after a week's trial if not satisfactory; here to-morrow at **2.25**

M. & W. DUPLEX GAS LAMPS, 1.98

ELECTRIC STROKE BELLS, 15c

FOOT PUMPS, worth 75c, at **45c**

HALLIDAY ADJUSTABLE HANDBARS (same style as the famous "Kelly" bar), regularly \$2.00, at **1.25**

THE IDEAL BICYCLE STAND, best for storing, cleaning or adjusting wheels, for but **65c**

LAMINATED WOOD RIMS, best quality, per pair, **50c**

SINGLE TUBE TIRES, guaranteed, each, **1.95**

For the Angler. 4-PIECE JAPANESE REEL ROD, silk wound the guides, full nickel mounted, worth \$1.50, at **75c**

3-PIECE ASH ROD, for salt water fishing, full mounted, lacquerwood tips, with short tip in butt, worth \$3.00, at **1.75**

200 yd. SALT WATER REEL at **1.35**

SALT WATER REELS at from 5c, apiece up to **22.00**

CUTTHUNK LINE, 100 ft., for BRAIDED SILA WATERPROOF LINE, at **12c**

WEAKFISH LEADER, 4-ply, at **7c**

SKINNER'S SPOONS, each, **12c**

For the Photographer.



"OUTING" CAMERA, takes pictures 4x5 inches, fitted with panoramic release, iris diaphragm and all the latest and best improvements of the high grade cameras, complete with our "Ideal" developing and printing outfit, which includes everything necessary for the taking and developing of a perfect photograph, 1 dot, standard dry-plates and instruction book; a limited quantity of these cameras only on sale here to-morrow at **7.25**

INGERSHOLLS' WELL-KNOWN \$1 "SHURE SHOT" CAMERA and outfit, all complete, for the little folks; here to-morrow at **40c**

JEWEL DARK ROOM L